

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please **AMEND** claims 1, 2, and 18, as follows:

1. (PREVIOUSLY AMENDED) A storage medium, comprising:  
an audio area including audio data and linking information; and  
a catalog area other than the audio area and which includes catalog information related to the audio data;

wherein:

the catalog information comprises common catalog information commonly applied for more than one of the audio data recorded on the storage medium, and title catalog information corresponding to each of the audio data, and

during reproduction of the audio data, the linking information connects the corresponding catalog information to be reproduced with the audio data, and

the catalog area comprises a catalog management (CMG) region having management information on the catalog information, and a catalog title set (CTS) in which is recorded at least one title catalog of the catalog information related to each item of the audio data.

2. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A storage medium, comprising:  
an audio area including audio data and linking information; and  
a catalog area other than the audio area and which includes catalog information related to the audio data;

wherein:

the catalog information comprises common catalog information commonly applied for more than one of the audio data recorded on the storage medium, and title catalog information corresponding to each of the audio data, and

during reproduction of the audio data, the linking information connects the corresponding catalog information to be reproduced with the audio data~~The storage medium of claim 1,~~

wherein the catalog information is image information produced according to a digital versatile disk video (DVD-Video) specification, and the storage medium includes an audio region in which the audio data is recorded and an image information record region in which the catalog information is recorded.

3. (ORIGINAL) The storage medium of claim 2, wherein the catalog information comprises:

- a still picture for a background image;
- a sub-picture for a caption; and
- navigation information for controlling the still picture and the sub-picture.

4. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) The storage medium of claim 2, wherein the audio region for the audio data comprises:

- an audio data recording region in which the audio data is recorded; and
- an audio information recording region for the entire audio data and/or audio data in units of distinct items of the audio data, in which is stored catalog playback information comprising the linking information connecting the audio data to the catalog information during playback.

5. (ORIGINAL) The storage medium of claim 4, wherein the catalog playback information comprises information on a location of the image information recording region in which the catalog information is recorded.

6. (ORIGINAL) The storage medium of claim 5, wherein the catalog playback information further comprises:

- a file identifier (ID); and
- an auto presentation information table determining a location of the catalog information to be played back corresponding to a predetermined time in accordance with real-time playback information of audio obtained from the audio data during real-time playback.

7. (ORIGINAL) The storage medium of claim 1, further comprising:

- an audio region in which the audio data is stored; and
- an image information region in which the catalog information is stored.

8. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) The storage medium of claim 7, wherein:

the audio region comprises:

an audio management (AMG) region having management information on the audio data, and

- a plurality of audio title sets (ATS) in which the audio data is recorded; and
- the image information region comprises:

a catalog management (CMG) region having management information on the catalog information, and

a catalog title set (CTS) in which is recorded at least one title catalog of the catalog information related to each item of the audio data.

9. (ORIGINAL) The storage medium of claim 8, wherein the CTS comprises information on still pictures formed of a plurality of the title catalogs and sub-pictures relating to the audio data, and navigation information for controlling the information on the still pictures and the sub-pictures.

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10. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) The storage medium of claim 8, wherein the AMG region comprises the linking information to connect the audio data and the catalog information during playback.

11. (ORIGINAL) The storage medium of claim 2, further comprising:  
an audio region in which the audio data is stored; and  
an image information region in which the catalog information is stored.

12. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) The storage medium of claim 7, wherein:  
the audio region comprises:

an audio management (AMG) region having management information on the audio data, and

a plurality of audio title sets (ATS) in which the audio data is recorded; and  
the image information region comprises:

a catalog management (CMG) region having management information on the catalog information, and

a catalog title set (CTS) having a plurality of program chains, wherein a first one of the program chains includes the common catalog information, and remaining ones of the programs chains include the title catalog data having information corresponding to each distinct item of the audio data, respectively.

13. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) The storage medium of claim 12, wherein the AMG region comprises the linking information to connect the audio data and the catalog information during playback.

14. (ORIGINAL) The storage medium of claim 1, wherein the storage medium is a digital versatile disk (DVD).

15. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) The storage medium of claim 1, further comprising:  
an audio region in which the audio data is stored with the linking information in the audio area and in which the catalog information is stored the catalog area of the audio region; and  
an image information region which contains no information.

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16. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A storage medium, comprising:  
an audio data area having audio data and catalog playback information; and  
a catalog information area other than the audio data area and having catalog information related to the audio data during reproduction by the catalog playback information,  
wherein:

the catalog information comprises:  
common catalog information commonly applied for more than one of the  
audio data recorded on the storage medium, and  
title catalog information corresponding to each of the audio data, and  
the catalog information area comprises:  
a catalog management (CMG) region having management information on  
the catalog information, and  
a catalog title set (CTS) in which at least one catalog title including the  
catalog information related to each item of the audio data is recorded.

17. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A storage medium, comprising:  
an audio data area having audio data and catalog playback information; and  
a catalog information area other than the audio data area and having catalog information related to the audio data during reproduction by the catalog playback information,  
wherein:

the catalog information comprises:  
common catalog information commonly reproduced with more than one  
item of the audio data recorded on the storage medium, and  
title catalog information uniquely corresponding to corresponding  
elements of the audio data,

the audio data area comprises:  
an audio management (AMG) region having management information on the audio data, and  
an audio title set (ATS) in which the audio data is recorded, and  
the catalog information are comprises  
a catalog management (CMG) region having management information on the catalog information, and  
a catalog title set (CTS) having at least one catalog title including the title catalog information.

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18. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A storage medium, comprising:  
an audio data area having audio data and linking data; and  
another area other than the audio data area and which includes still picture information related to the audio data during reproduction according to the linking data,  
wherein:  
the still picture information comprises:  
common still picture information commonly applied for more than one item of the audio data recorded on the storage medium, and  
title still picture information corresponding uniquely corresponding to individual items of the audio data, and  
the another area comprises:  
a still picture management (SMG) region having management information on the catalog information, and  
a still picture title set (SPTS) in which at least one still picture title including the still picture information related to each item of the audio data is recorded.

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